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DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As below named inventors, we hereby declare that:

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We believe that we are joint inventors of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR DETECTION OF LARGE LEAKS IN SEALED ARTICLES

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